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NOTIFICATION

No.464/MEGH-LA/2023(P)/1377. – WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of clause (1) of Article 172 of the Constitution of India, the existing Legislative Assembly of the State of Meghalaya, unless sooner dissolved, shall continue upto and including the 15th March, 2023 and shall thereafter stand dissolved on the expiration of its duration; and

WHEREAS, in terms of sub-Section (1) of Section 15 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), a General Election has to be held for the purpose of constituting a new Legislative Assembly of the State:

NOW, THEREFORE, as recommended by the Election Commission of India in pursuance of sub-Section (2) of Section 15 of the said Act, the Governor of the State of Meghalaya is hereby pleased to call upon all the Assembly Constituencies in the State, to elect members to the Legislative Assembly of the State, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and to the Rules and Orders made thereunder:

By order and in the name of Governor

Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001 Dated the 31st January, 2023 11th Magha, 1944 (Saka)

NOTIFICATION

No.464/MEGH-LA/2023(P). – **WHEREAS**, the Governor of the State of Meghalaya has, by notification issued under sub-Section (2) of Section 15 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), published in the Official Gazette of the State on the 31st January, 2023 (Tuesday), been pleased to call upon all of the Assembly Constituencies in the State of Meghalaya, to elect members to the Legislative Assembly of the State, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the Rules and Orders made thereunder;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of Section 30 and 56 of the said Act, the Election Commission of India hereby -

- (A) appoints, with respect to the said election from all of the Assembly Constituencies:-
 - (a) the 7th February, 2023 (Tuesday), as the last date for making nominations;
 - (b) the 8th February, 2023 (Wednesday), as the date for the scrutiny of nominations;
 - (c) the 10th February, 2023 (Friday), as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
 - (d) the **27th February**, **2023 (Monday)** as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken; and
 - (e) the **4**th **March**, **2023** (**Saturday**), as the date before which the election shall be completed; and
- **(B)** Fixes the hours from 07:00 A.M. to 04:00 P.M. as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above, for the election.

By order,

(SANTOSH KUMAR DUBEY) SECRETARY, ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

P. MYLLIEMNGAP,

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Election Department & Deputy Chief Electoral Officer, Meghalaya.